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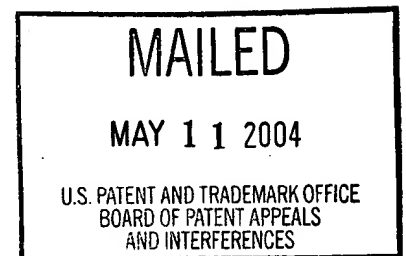
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES

Ex parte ROGER COLEMAN,  
JANICE AU-YOUNG,  
OLGA BANDMAN, and  
JEFFREY J. SEILHAMER

Appeal No. 2003-1669  
Application 08/462,355

**ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL**



Before HARKCOM, Acting Chief Administrative Patent Judge, and  
WILLIAM F. SMITH and NASE, Administrative Patent Judges.

Per curiam.

On August 2, 2002, appellants filed a Notice of Appeal (Paper No. 22).

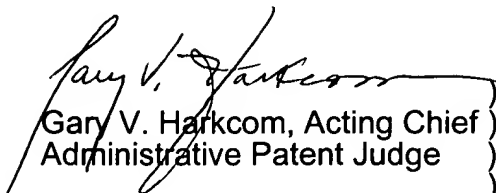
On April 21, 2004, appellants filed a communication requesting express abandonment of this application (Paper No. 31).

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the appeal filed August 2, 2002, is dismissed.

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The application is being returned to the examiner for further action as may be appropriate.

  
Gary V. Harkcom, Acting Chief  
Administrative Patent Judge

  
William F. Smith  
Administrative Patent Judge

  
Jeffrey V. Nase  
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